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AMERICAN INSTITUTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 742114-5
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<p>In re Application of Knud Erik BÆKGAARD et al.</p> <p>Application Number 09/688,216</p> <p>Filed 10/16/2000</p> <p>For ELECTRONIC STETHOSCOPE</p> <p>Group Art Unit 2644</p> <p>Examiner L.A. Grier</p>		

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) - (\$55/\$110)	\$ <u>110.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Two month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) - (\$200/\$400)	\$ _____
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<input type="checkbox"/> Five month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) - (\$980/\$1960)	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$ _____	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.	
<input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.	RECEIVED OCT 01 2002
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>19-2380(742114-5)</u> . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.	Technology Center 26

I am the applicant/inventor

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

attorney or agent of record.

attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)

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September 23, 2002

Date _____

Signature

David S. Safran
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Total of _____ forms are submitted.

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